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Note verbale dated 13 September 2000 from the Permanent Mission of the Republic of Korea to the United Nations addressed to the Committee

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Korea to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Secretariat of the United Nations and, with reference to Security Council resolution 1306 (2000) regarding the prohibition of direct or indirect imports of all rough diamonds from Sierra Leone, adopted on 5 July 2000, has the honour to inform the latter that the Korean Government has taken the necessary steps to implement, in full, the measures imposed by paragraphs 1 and 5 of the resolution.

The Korean Mission would appreciate it if the Secretariat would circulate this note verbale as a document of the United Nations.

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Note verbale dated 15 September 2000 from the Permanent Mission of Bangladesh to the United Nations addressed to the Chairman of the Committee

The Permanent Mission of the People's Republic of Bangladesh to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1132 (1997) concerning Sierra Leone, and with reference to the latter's note of 10 July 2000 concerning Security Council resolution 1306 (2000) of 5 July 2000, has the honour to inform him that all necessary steps required to implement the provisions of section A, paragraphs 1 and 8, of resolution 1306 (2000) have been initiated for prohibiting the import of rough diamonds from Sierra Leone.

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Note verbale dated 18 September 2000 from the Permanent Mission of the Netherlands to the United Nations addressed to the Chairman of the Committee

The Permanent Representative of the Kingdom of the Netherlands to the United Nations presents his compliments to the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1132 (1997), and has the honour to communicate the following information concerning the implementation of the United Nations sanctions against Sierra Leone, as established by the Security Council in its resolutions 1306 (2000) and 1171 (1998).

On 3 August, the Council of the European Union adopted European Union regulation No. 1745/2000, imposing restrictions on the import of rough diamonds from Sierra Leone, in conformity with Security Council resolution 1306 (2000), this regulation prohibits direct or indirect import into the European Union of rough diamonds coming or originating from Sierra Leone, except when the import of rough diamonds is accompanied by a certificate of origin issued by the Sierra Leonese authorities (in accordance with paragraph 5 of resolution 1306 (2000)).

At this moment a ministerial order is being prepared by the Government of the Netherlands which penalizes violation of common position No. 1998/409/GBVB, prohibiting the sale and supply of arms to non-governmental forces in Sierra Leone, following Security Council resolution 1171 (1998). Punishment in case of violation has been determined in the National Act on Economic Offences.

Weapons embargoes are generally executed by applying the licence regime laid down in the Import and Export Act, which has been further specified in the Decree on Import and Export of Strategic Goods.

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Note verbale dated 20 September 2000 from the Permanent Mission of the Principality of Monaco to the United Nations addressed to the Chairman of the Committee

The Permanent Mission of the Principality of Monaco to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1132 (1997) concerning Sierra Leone and, with reference to his note SCA/2/00(9) of 10 July 2000 concerning resolution 1306 (2000) adopted by the Security Council on 5 July 2000, particularly paragraph 1, has the honour to inform him that the Monegasque authorities concerned, in cooperation with French customs, with which bilateral agreements were established, have taken all necessary steps to prohibit the direct or indirect importation into the territory of the Principality of Monaco of rough diamonds from Sierra Leone.

Furthermore, paragraph 17 of the said resolution was pointed out to the Monegasque judicial authorities.

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